## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, | )                |
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| Plaintiff,                | )<br>) 8:16CR280 |
| VS.                       | )                |
| JODY PEARSON,             | ) ORDER          |
| Defendant.                | }                |

This matter is before the court on the Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [60]. Counsel needs additional time to explore plea negotiations. The defendant has complied with NECrimR 12.1(a). For good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion to Continue Trial [60] is granted, as follows:

- 1. The jury trial now set for May 30, 2017 is continued to July 17, 2017.
- 2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's** date and July 17, 2017, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).

**DATED May 17, 2017.** 

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis United States Magistrate Judge